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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q56091

Norihsa FUKUTOMI, et al.

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Group Art Unit: 3752

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Examiner: KIM, CHRISTOPHER S.

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For: **FUEL INJECTION VALVE**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of two month(s), extending the time for responding to the Office Action of October 4, 2002, to March 4, 2003.

A check for the statutory fee of \$410.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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